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## 2003 Milk Production, Disposition and Income

Idaho 2003 milk production, at 8.77 billion pounds, was up 8 percent from 2002's 8.16 billion pounds. The rate per cow at 21,718 pounds, was 700 pounds above 2002. The annual average number of cows on Idaho farms during 2003 was 404,000 head, up from 388,000 head in 2002. Idaho cash receipts for marketings from milk in 2003 were \$1.00 billion, up 10 percent from the previous year's receipts of \$918 million. Producer returns averaged \$11.50 per hundredweight, \$0.20 more than the 2002 average. Marketings totaled 8.74 billion pounds, 617 million pounds more than the milk marketed in 2002.

Nationally, milk production increased 0.1 percent in 2003 to 170.3 billion pounds. The rate per cow, at 18,749 pounds, was 141 pounds above 2002. The annual average number of milk cows on farms, at 9.08 million head, was 55,000 head less than in 2002.

Cash receipts from marketings of milk during 2003, totaled \$21.2 billion, 3 percent above 2002. Producer returns averaged \$12.55 per hundredweight, 3 percent above 2002. Marketings totaled 169 billion pounds, 0.2 percent above 2002. Marketings include whole milk sold to plants and dealers as well as milk sold directly to consumers.

An estimated 1.11 billion pounds of milk were used on farms where produced, 0.4 percent less than 2002. Calves were fed 86 percent of this milk, with the remainder consumed in producer households.

## Milk Production, Disposition, and Income, Selected States and United States, 2003

STATE	Milk Cows <sup>1/</sup>	Production of Milk <sup>2/</sup>		Combined Marketings of Milk & Cream		
		Per Cow	Total	Milk Utilized	Avg. Return Per Cwt. <sup>3/</sup>	Cash Receipts
	1,000 Head	Lbs.	Million Lbs.	Million Lbs.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
California	1,688	20,993	35,437	35,400	11.38	4,028,520
<b>IDAHO</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>21,718</b>	<b>8,774</b>	<b>8,739</b>	<b>11.50</b>	<b>1,004,985</b>
Michigan	302	21,060	6,360	6,300	12.60	793,800
Minnesota	473	17,459	8,258	8,158	12.80	1,044,224
New Mexico	317	21,028	6,666	6,584	12.00	790,080
New York	671	17,812	11,952	11,905	13.10	1,559,555
Pennsylvania	575	17,979	10,338	10,327	14.00	1,445,780
Texas	319	17,649	5,630	5,611	13.00	729,430
Washington	245	22,780	5,581	5,552	12.10	671,792
Wisconsin	1,256	17,728	22,266	22,002	12.90	2,838,258
<b>UNITED STATES</b>	<b>9,084</b>	<b>18,749</b>	<b>170,312</b>	<b>169,198</b>	<b>12.55</b>	<b>21,227,695</b>

1/ Average number during year, excluding heifers not yet fresh. 2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves. 3/ Cash Receipts divided by milk in combined marketings.

## Meat Animal Inventory, Supply and Disposition

A balance sheet estimate is the inventory on hand at the beginning of the year, plus births and inshipments which equal the sum of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths and inventory on hand at the end of the year. Marketings include animals for slaughter market, as well as younger animals shipped to other states for feeding or

breeding purposes excluding interfarm sales within the State and farm slaughter. The number of head marketed includes all custom slaughter. Farm slaughter includes animals slaughtered on farms primarily for home consumption and excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

### IDAHO BALANCE SHEET: CATTLE AND CALVES

	HEAD (000)
Inventory, January 1, 2003	2,000
+Calf Crop	880
+Inshipments	570
-Marketings	
Cattle	1,179
Calves	160
-Farm Slaughter <sup>1/</sup>	2
-Deaths	
Cattle	41
Calves	58
Inventory, January 2004	2,010
<sup>1/</sup> Excludes Custom Slaughter for Farmers	

### IDAHO BALANCE SHEET: SHEEP AND LAMBS

	HEAD (000)
Inventory, January 1, 2003 <sup>1/</sup>	260
+Lamb Crop	240
+Inshipments	18
-Marketings	
Sheep	34
Lambs	201
-Farm Slaughter <sup>2/</sup>	1
-Deaths	
Sheep	10
Lambs (After Docking)	12
Inventory, January 2004 <sup>1/</sup>	260
<sup>1/</sup> Includes new crop lambs <sup>2/</sup> Excludes Custom Slaughter for Farmers	

## Cattle and Calves Production and Income, Selected States, 2003

Selected States	Production <sup>1/</sup>	Marketings <sup>2/</sup>	Average Price		Value of Production	Cash Receipts <sup>3/</sup>	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
			Cattle	Calves				
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>		<i>Dollars Per Cwt.</i>			<i>1,000 Dollars</i>		
<b>IDAHO</b>	<b>1,094,540</b>	<b>1,443,760</b>	<b>72.40</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>808,703</b>	<b>1,062,063</b>	<b>6,791</b>	<b>1,068,854</b>
Montana	1,027,360	1,121,030	82.20	106.00	871,647	954,933	9,535	964,468
Oregon	584,325	516,200	70.70	94.30	429,811	381,851	11,501	393,352
Utah	388,570	484,660	81.00	103.00	323,040	400,873	7,582	408,455
Washington	573,726	668,620	83.80	97.30	475,522	560,900	7,272	568,172
<b>UNITED STATES</b>	<b>42,243,717</b>	<b>56,765,518</b>	<b>79.70</b>	<b>102.00</b>	<b>32,167,511</b>	<b>45,094,883</b>	<b>370,533</b>	<b>45,465,416</b>

<sup>1/</sup> Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. <sup>2/</sup> Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State.

<sup>3/</sup> Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

## Sheep and Lamb Production and Income, Selected States, 2003

Selected States	Production <sup>1/</sup>	Marketings <sup>2/</sup>	Average Price		Value of Production	Cash Receipts <sup>3/</sup>	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
			Sheep	Lambs				
	<i>1,000 Pounds</i>		<i>Dollars Per Cwt.</i>			<i>1,000 Dollars</i>		
<b>IDAHO</b>	<b>24,755</b>	<b>26,080</b>	<b>33.70</b>	<b>87.60</b>	<b>19,316</b>	<b>20,647</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>20,837</b>
Montana	24,588	26,453	34.80	103.00	20,836	22,377	257	22,634
Oregon	10,055	14,925	31.90	88.20	8,584	10,934	741	11,675
Utah	20,380	26,640	29.90	92.00	16,824	18,640	698	19,338
Washington	4,641	5,587	34.00	90.40	3,971	4,361	342	4,703
<b>UNITED STATES</b>	<b>468,432</b>	<b>606,886</b>	<b>34.90</b>	<b>94.40</b>	<b>390,158</b>	<b>505,172</b>	<b>11,050</b>	<b>516,222</b>

<sup>1/</sup> Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. <sup>2/</sup> Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State.

<sup>3/</sup> Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

## Idaho Cattle on Feed Down 9 Percent

Cattle on feed for the slaughter market in Idaho from feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 or more head on May 1, 2004 totaled 250,000 head, down 9 percent from the May 1, 2003 inventory. The inventory was down 2 percent from the number on hand April 1, 2004. Placements of cattle into State feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 or more head during April totaled 45,000 head, the same as April 2003 placements. Marketings during April totaled 47,000 head, down 2,000 head from April 2003 marketings.

Cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market in the United States from feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 10.36 million head on May 1, 2004. The inventory was 2 percent below May 1, 2003 and 6 percent below May 1, 2002.

Placements in feedlots during April totaled 1.60 million, 14 percent below 2003 but 10 percent above 2002. Net placements were 1.51 million.

During April, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 316,000, 600-699 pounds were 302,000, 700-799 pounds were 567,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 418,000. Marketings of fed cattle during April totaled 1.89 million, 5 percent below both 2003 and 2002. Other disappearance totaled 97,000 during April, 54 percent above 2003 and 17 percent above 2002.

### Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots<sup>1/</sup>

State	May 1, 2003	April 1, 2004	May 1, 2004		
			Number	As % of 2003	As % of April
	---1,000 Head---		---Percent---		
Arizona	269	293	295	110	101
California	470	495	500	106	101
Colorado	1,000	970	940	94	97
<b>Idaho</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>98</b>
Iowa	370	415	415	112	100
Kansas	2,270	2,360	2,240	99	95
Nebraska	2,080	2,210	2,100	101	95
New Mexico	101	105	105	104	100
Oklahoma	330	330	310	94	94
South Dakota	210	205	200	95	98
Texas	2,680	2,640	2,560	96	97
Washington	170	170	160	94	94
Other States	310	300	285	92	95
<b>United States</b>	<b>10,535</b>	<b>10,748</b>	<b>10,360</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>96</b>

<sup>1/</sup>Cattle and calves on feed are animals for slaughter market being fed a ration of grain or other concentrates and are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better.

## Frozen Potato Stocks

Frozen stocks of french fries in the United States on April 30, 2004, totaled 883 million pounds, down 4 percent from March 31, 2004, and down 2 percent from April 30, 2003. Other frozen potatoes, at 284 million pounds, were up 4 percent from March stocks and up 13 percent from last year.

United States stocks of butter on April 30, 2004 totaled 156 million pounds, down 1 percent from the end of the previous month and down 41 percent from April 30, 2003. Of this 156 million pounds, the government owned 400,000 pounds. American cheese stocks totaled 528 million pounds up 1 percent from March 31, 2004, but down 1 percent from April 30, 2003. The government owned a total of 9.69 million pounds.

Commodity	April 30, 2003	Mar 31, 2004	April 30, 2004	2004 2003
	1,000 Pounds			Percent
POTATOES				
French Fries	899,079	919,539	882,851	98
Other Frozen	251,444	272,912	284,432	113
TOTAL	1,150,523	1,192,451	1,167,283	101
DAIRY				
Butter	263,735	158,118	155,796	59
(Gov't Owned)	5,089	602	400	8
Natural Cheese				
American, Total	534,718	520,803	527,839	99
(Gov't Owned)	2,974	9,615	9,691	326

## Potato Stocks

Potato stocks held by growers, dealers and processors in Idaho on May 1 totaled 33.5 million cwt, 1.00 million cwt less than on hand May 1, 2003. Disappearance, at 89.7 million cwt, is down from last year's 98.9 million cwt but up from 2001's 87.7 million cwt. Stocks in the 10 Southwest Counties totaled 1.90 million cwt, above last year's 1.30 million cwt. The Other Counties' stocks, at 31.6 million cwt, was 1.60 million cwt less than the amount stored on May 1, 2003.

The 15 major potato States held 84.8 million cwt of potatoes in storage May 1, 2004, up 2 percent from last year and 4 percent above 2002. Potatoes in storage account for 21 percent of the 2003 fall storage States' production, up 1 percentage point from last year. Disappearance of 319 million cwt of potatoes is down 2 percent from last year but 4 percent above two years ago.

### Production and Total Stocks of Fall Potatoes Held by Growers, Processors and Local Dealers on May 1, 2003 and May 1, 2004 1/

STATE	CROP OF 2002			CROP OF 2003		
	PRODUCTION	TOTAL STOCKS MAY 1, 2003 2/	MAY 1 STOCKS AS % OF PRODUCTION	PRODUCTION	TOTAL STOCKS MAY 1, 2004 2/	MAY 1 STOCKS AS % OF PRODUCTION
	<u>1,000 Cwt.</u>		<u>Percent</u>	<u>1,000 Cwt.</u>		<u>Percent</u>
California 3/	4,316	1,000	23	3,444	1,200	35
Colorado	27,885	5,800	21	23,652	3,600	15
Idaho	133,385	34,500	26	123,180	33,500	27
Maine	16,960	3,900	23	17,030	4,100	24
Michigan	13,878	1,000	7	15,015	1,600	11
Minnesota 3/	18,810	4,300	23	22,330	5,500	25
Montana	3,224	400	12	3,339	500	15
Nebraska	8,611			9,860		
New York	5,500			6,510	450	7
N. Dakota	23,460	5,500	23	27,440	8,300	30
Ohio 3/	902			1,290		
Oregon	24,936	5,000	20	20,991	5,500	26
Pennsylvania 3/	2,128			3,915	100	3
Washington 3/	92,340	16,500	18	93,150	15,000	16
Wisconsin 3/	30,750	3,700	12	32,800	3,800	12
Other States		1,340			1,650	
15 STATES 3/	407,085	82,940	20	403,946	84,800	21

1/ Stocks include processor holdings and most of the seed to plant following year's crop. Seed usage for all seasons in 2003 totaled 28.3 million cwt. 2/ Missing stocks combined into "Other States".